

This misuse of the public's airwaves by an arrogant, self-serving corporation is despicable! You should be less concerned about the accidental exposure of a boob and worry more about the sabotage of the American political system. Get on the ball, boys & girls, and shed your wrong-headed analysis that shows that you failed Econ 101.

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy. Instead of something produced at "News Central" far away, it's more important that we see real people from our own communities and more substantive news about issues that matter.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve

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postcard. Thank you.